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## GRAND JURY MAKES FINAL REPORT

### Returns 31 Indictments. Makes Several Recommendations.

The grand jury after a ten days' session made its final report to Judge Rich Wednesday and was discharged. Thirty-one indictments were returned, and those which have been made public to date are given below.

A. R. Ruby, charged with attempted bribery of an officer.

John Shilas, attempted bribery of an officer.

A. R. Ruby, gaming and keeping gamg device, two counts.

Axel Samuelson, gaming and keeping gaming device.

Minnie Dryer, conducting bawdy house, two counts.

Tal Arnold, conducting bawdy house, two counts.

Ike Jones, petit larceny.

Dr. Frederick L. Schmitt practicing medicine without license.

Thomas McCay, carnal knowledge of woman between 15 and 18 years.

Forest Nave, grand larceny.

Harry Huppard gaming.

James Manning gaming.

Joe Bookasta, gaming, enters plea of guilty and fined \$25.

Louis Minor and Dell Grindstaff, lewd and lascivious conduct.

Edward Welsh, seduction under promise of marriage.

Otto Hemme, robbery.

J. S. Dansforth, running an assignation house.

J. H. Walter, extortion.

## Herd-Morris.

Mr. William C. Herd and Miss Ethel Morris, both of this city, were married Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. J. E. Alexander officiating.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Herd, Sr., and is employed at Seiter Market. He was a member of the 82nd Division and saw service overseas.

The bride is the daughter of C. L. Morris proprietor of Morris' bakery. Both the bride and groom have a host of friends in this community who wish them joy and happiness.

After the ceremony the newlyweds went to Kansas City. On their return they will make their home in the Mrs. Amelia Kriehn residence on South street.

## Barnett Garage Opened.

The brick building, 1105 Franklin street, formerly known as the Sill Mule Barn, and recently bought by W. C. Barnett, has been overhauled and remodeled to conform to the requirements of a garage. Everything was complete and ready for the opening last Saturday. Mr. Barnett has spared no expense in making his garage complete in every detail. He carries supplies of all kinds besides having real, sure-enough mechanics to do repair work.

## Roscoe Sheets Sells Cafe.

Roscoe Sheets Tuesday sold his confectionery and restaurant business, 1112 Main street, to Harvey Mavel and Victor Johnson. Possession was given Tuesday night at 6 o'clock.

Both members of the new firm are popular young men about town and should enjoy a lucrative business. Mr. Mavel has been engaged in this particular line of business for some time. He gained his first experience with Mr. Sheets, and later, at different times, was employed at Hinesley's Cafe. Mr. Johnson is not without experience in the retail business, having been employed for several years at the Pin-Ton grocery. They christened their place of business, "The Victory."

We wish the new firm all kinds of good luck and success.

## County Court Proceedings.

Court ordered that owing to a misunderstanding in the matter of vacating road in section 26, township 49, range 28, as petitioned for by A. L. Beal, A. A. Laughlin, et al., the former order is rescinded, and a new petition was filed by A. A. Laughlin, et al. for the vacation of part of said road and establishing new road in section 26, township 40, range 28.

R. B. Sharp was appointed road overseer in road district No. 7.

Joseph W. Holteamp was appointed drainage ditch overseer for Davis Creek ditch districts Nos. 1 and 2.

Dan G. Johns was appointed overseer of Odessa Special Road District No. 1, vice I. W. Green resigned.

J. W. Edwards, Jos. Legg and C. Q. Kinkead were named to appraise the value of two Jersey cows belonging to Florence Lankford, which had been condemned as tubercular.

Lexington Special Road District filed requisition for money in the hands of the county treasurer due said road district, amounting to \$430.50.

Jesse Pollick filed bond as road overseer in district No. 2, the same being accepted by the court.

W. T. Tutt, circuit clerk, filed report of collections during March, amounting to \$81.80.

Bon Casner of Hodge was allowed \$3.00 bounty for two full grown wolf scalps.

Court ordered that H. C. Rogers, Highway Engineer, remove bridge over Davis creek near the Fritz Brand farm and place same on new concrete abutments over new channel near the G. Schutte place, the citizens of the community to do all hauling of material and old bridge free of charge to the county.

Court ordered Highway Engineer to construct bridge near the farm of E. W. Schowengerdt, Mr. Schowengerdt to do all hauling of material free of charge.

The Lafayette County Farm Bureau appeared before the court asking for the appointment of a farm adviser for the county. The same was taken under advisement.

Elmer H. White, County Supt. of Schools filed bond, which was approved.

Miss Alice Wulfekammer was appointed a member of the text book commission for a term of two years.

Court ordered Highway Engineer to build concrete culvert near the S. A. Bainbridge place; two corrugated iron pipe culverts with concrete additions, one in section 31 and one in section 12, and one in section 35.

Court ordered that all appraisers ordered by the court to appraise tubercular cattle be allowed two dollars.

Dr. B. T. Payne filed bills for inquest held over the bodies of Mary E. Harrison for \$5.00 and Delia Gallagher for \$5.00.

## Miss Rena Hale Succumbs to Typhoid Fever.

Miss Rena Hale, who had been ill with typhoid fever for several weeks, passed away Wednesday morning at 5 o'clock, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hale, 316 North 16th Street. While struggling between life and death for the past few days, in the grip of this dreadful disease, Miss Hale's many friends had hoped that she would safely pass the crisis, but her strength was unequal to the task, and her beautiful young life passed out with the first faint rays of the morning.

Miss Hale was known and highly esteemed by many people in the city where she was born, reared and educated. These friends feel keenly the sorrow brought to the stricken parents and sister, and expressions of sympathy are heard on every hand.

Miss Hale was born in Lexington May 25, 1893, and was almost twenty-six years of age. She had lived here all her life. She graduated from the Lexington High School with the class of 1913. For the past few years she had been employed at Gratz Bros. store.

Besides her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hale, she is survived by one sister, Miss Marie Hale.

The funeral services conducted by Rev. Baxter Waters, will be held this evening at 4:30 o'clock.

## W. L. Gruber Re-enters Business

W. L. Gruber, who recently returned from several months' service with the army in France, has bought a half interest in the store where he was located before the war, and which was owned by Paul Heidenrich. When the United States entered the war Mr. Gruber was enjoying a flourishing business in this same location. He did not quibble or seek delay in answering the call to the colors, but, instead, placed his stock on the market, sold it, and when his turn came he was ready. He served with the 89th Division and did his share in making its glorious history.

The new firm will be styled, Gruber & Heidenrich. They will carry a complete and up-to-date line of Gent's furnishings and shoes, and in addition will continue the cleaning and pressing business in which Mr. Heidenrich is an expert.

The new firm respectfully solicits a share of your patronage.